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In re Patent Application of: Christophe MAERKY et al.

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For: A DUAL-COIL ELECTROMAGNETIC

VALVE ACTUATOR WITH A PERMANENT

MAGNET

Examiner: R. M. Barrera

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated July 26, 2007, the due date for response having been petitioned to be extended two months to December 26, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.